Increase in extremists activities in Punjab

327. SHRI HARVENDRA SINGH HANSPAL: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether extremist activities in Punjab have increased so much that the Director General of Police had a providential escape on the 2nd February, 1991;

(b) if so, what are the main reasons therefor;

(c) what are the reasons for not taking any steps so far to eliminate the extremist activities in the State;

(d) whether Government propose to review the deployment to security forces and the law and order situation in the State in the light of para (a) above; and

(e) what is the total number of deaths which occurred in Punjab during the last three years; and the compensation provided in the cases of victims?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI SUBODH KANT SAHAY): (a) to (d) The terrorists have been for some time targeting attacks on security officials and the attack on DGP (Punjab) was one such incident. The situation in the State is constantly under review and appropriate action is being taken to thwart the designs of terrorists.

(e) According to information available, 5584 persons, including Police-men, had been killed during the three years, 1988, 1989 & 1990. According to the scheme prepared the families of the victims are eligible for an ex-gratia grant of Rupees Fifty thousand only (Rs. 50,000|-). A subsistance allowance of Rupees One thousand only (Rs. 1,000|-) per months is given to the widow of the victim. Besides, a dependent of the victim is also eligible for employment under priority category-1 in the Government of Punjab and for payment of Rs. 1000|- per month till he|she gets absorbed in the Government. Education and other facilities are also given.

Impact of oil slick in Gulf Monsoon in India

328. SHRI SYED SIBTEY RAZI: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that flaring up the oil wells and oil slick in the Gulf would affect the Monsoon in India; if so, the details thereof;

(b) to what extent the oilslick is likely to upset the monsoon in India;

(c) whether the Scientists have studied its impact in this regard; and

(d) what are the remedial measures proposed to be taken?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI KAMAL MORARKA): (a) No, Sir.

(b) The oil slick will have no effect on the Indian monsoon.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) Question does not arise.

Troubles developed in Kalpakkam Atomic Reactor

329. SHRI KAPIL VERMA:
SHRIMATI VEENA VERMA:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) how many times Atomic Reactor at Madras Atomic Power Project at Kalpakkam have developed trouble so far; and

(b) what is the loss in power generation caused thereby?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE PRIME MINISTER'S OFFICE (SHRI KAMAL MORARKA): (a) During the